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- 11. Embassy relayed draft agenda and other reftel points to Ministry of Foreign Affairs International Economic Cooperation Department Chief Batyrkan Syrgabayev May 27. Syrgabayev informed Embassy in an earlier May 15 meeting that the Kyrgyz Republic would be represented at the "ministerial level" at the Dushanbe U.S.-Central Asia Trade and Investment Framework Agreement (TIFA) meeting. Syrgabayev's office advised Embassy May 30 that additional Kyrgyz feedback would be provided in the coming days. Embassy has also provided information to the Ministry of Economic Development and Trade about the TIFA event.
- $\P2$. Embassy will relay any additional feedback septel. YOVANOVITCH